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| <b>AMENDMENT UNDER<br/>37 C.F.R. §1.111</b><br><br>Address to:<br>Commissioner for Patents<br>P.O. Box 1450<br>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | Attorney Docket      | GUID-134 (previously 03-728)   |
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|  | First Named Inventor | Lombardi   |
|  | Application Number   | 10/751,765   |
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|  | Group Art Unit       | 3767   |
|  | Examiner Name        | Gilbert, Andrew M.   |
|  | Title                | Method and Apparatus for Regulating Pressure During Medical Procedures |

Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated December 9, 2008 for which a three-month period for response was given making this response due on or before March 9, 2009. In view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.